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MAY FALL BY THE WAYSIDE

Feared Postal Savings Bank Bill Will Not Pass.

NO ORGANIZED OPPOSITION

But Differences Have Developed as to the Disposition of Deposits, Which May Result in the Measure Going Over for Action at Some Future Session—Root's Amendment Causes the Trouble.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Fear is expressed by leaders in congress, and it is shared by the administration, that the postal savings bank bill, which was recently recommended for passage by President Taft in his annual message, may fall by the wayside. It looked a month or so ago as if this bill would be among the first of the Taft legislative programme to be spread on the statutes. There is no organized opposition to the creation of a postal savings bank, but differences have developed as to the disposition of deposits that may result in this measure going over for action at some future session.

Some of the Western advocates of the postal savings bank do not take kindly to the constitutional objections raised to the bill in its present form by President Taft and Senator Root. Senator Root has pointed out that the pending bill, which permits the deposits of savings bank funds in institutions in the localities in which deposits originate, would mean, in practical operation, that the government had gone into the banking business, and he urges that this would be contrary to the Constitution.

The president agrees with him, as do many Western senators and representatives, although the belief prevails that a majority, at least in the house, will cling to the idea that the deposits shall remain in the localities where they originate. Those who take this position are willing to have the bill passed in its present shape, and the question as to constitutionality submitted to the federal courts.

Would Be Perfectly Regular.

Senator Root urges that if postal savings bank funds are invested in government securities as proposed in his amendment, which was discussed by the president in his New York speech Saturday, the constitutional objection to the bill will have been removed. He holds that such disposition of the funds would provide another means of handling the government debt and be perfectly regular under the Constitution and the laws of the land.

There is a prospect of a compromise on the Root amendment. There has been agitation for many months for the issuance of bonds for the improvement of the waterways of the country. The National Rivers and Harbors congress at its recent meeting in Washington went on record in favor of a bond issue and President Taft has indicated that in certain circumstances he might endorse a measure to mortgage the future in order that commerce might be encouraged under a comprehensive plan for the improvement of waterways. The suggestion has been made that specific mention be made in the Root amendment that postal savings be invested in bonds issued for waterways improvement as an appeal for Western support of the measure, modified as proposed by Senator Root.

Just how the Republican insurgents from the West will take this proposal is not known. As a general thing they are wedded to the idea that the postal savings should not be transferred from the communities where they are deposited in the postoffice on the theory that such transfer would mean that all the money would go to New York.

INQUIRY IS UNINTERESTING

No Sensations Mark Cross-Examination of Louis R. Glavis.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry dragged wearily along through two sessions without any of the striking incidents or features that marked the previous sessions. Louis R. Glavis continued on the stand under cross-examination by John J. Vertrees, attorney for Secretary Ballinger.

Mr. Glavis continued his tactics of always coupling his answers with long explanations. Counsel for Mr. Ballinger protested, but the committee decided that Glavis could make his explanations however he desired, whether they were relevant or not.

Library Addition Dedicated.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Feb. 16.—At the Union Printers' home today the library addition to that institution was formally dedicated. The Union Printers' home is the only institution of its kind in the world conducted by a trade union for the benefit of its indigent and sick members. The value of the property is estimated at \$1,000,000, and the addition that was dedicated today cost \$30,000. It houses the home's magnificent collection of books—12,000 volumes.

REAR ADMIRAL SIGSBEE.

Pays Tribute to Victims of the Maine Disaster.



SIGSBEE THE CHIEF ORATOR

Naval Officer Speaks at Services in Memory of Maine Victims.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Veterans of two wars remembered the Maine at Arlington National cemetery, where he buried 160 victims of the battleship blown up in Havana harbor twelve years ago. Rear Admiral Sigsbee, who commanded the warship on the fateful February day in 1898, was one of the speakers at the services.

"As the commander of the Maine and of her people," said the admiral, in his address, "I view these commemorative meetings with grateful approval. The burden of the Maine rests on me heavily—all the more heavily with advancing years—and in ways known only to myself. To Father Chadwick and to myself come saddening evidences of widespread misery consequent on her awful destruction."

Samuel R. Van Sant, commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, spoke of the Maine disaster and the war with Spain as the greatest influence in reunifying the country since it was given by the Civil war. Colonel J. Walter Mitchell, departmental commander of the Army and Navy union, who presided at the congress, demanded in an address that congress appropriate funds for the raising of the wreck of the Maine from Havana harbor.

Among floral tributes were sent two large wreaths by President Taft and another from the Cuban minister.

PASSES THE RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL

House Disposes of Measure Without Amending It.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The rivers and harbors bill, carrying appropriations of more than \$35,000,000 with authorizations of work that will cost more than \$7,000,000 additional, was passed by the house. The debate upon the measure during two days did not result in any important amendments.

The senate passed a number of bills, among which were measures to prohibit misrepresentation regarding the government's guaranty of foods and medicines and authorizing the regulation of hazing at the West Point military academy.

The senate was in session only two and a half hours, while the house adjourned at the end of a five-hour session.

FATAL WRECK IN A STORM

One Killed and Three Others Injured in Iowa.

Mason City, Ia., Feb. 16.—Fireman William Erickson was killed and three other men were injured in a railroad accident north of Lake Mills on the Northwestern. The injured are:

William Peyson, engineer; E. A. Graves, passenger; John Ellison, passenger.

A number of others were bruised. All will recover.

Passenger train No. 15 ran into the rear end of a freight train on a siding near Lake Mills. The cause of the accident was the blinding snow, which prevented Peyson from seeing the freight. The engine, mail car and day coach were splintered and the freight train is almost a total wreck.

Boy Seriously Injured.

Herman, Minn., Feb. 16.—Hiram Bockholter, thirteen years old, was seriously injured by a dynamite cartridge which exploded in his hand. He was picking it with a pin, which caused the explosion. The boy's hand was literally torn to shreds. Amputation at the wrist was necessary.

Minnesota Man Killed by Train.

Montevideo, Minn., Feb. 16.—Merrill Dean, aged twenty-six years, employed by the Milwaukee road here, was run over by a caboose and so badly mangled that he died from his injuries. He was switching in the yards. He leaves a wife and two children.

COLD WAVE IN THE NORTHWEST

Wind and Snow Blockade the Railroads.

ONE DEATH FROM EXPOSURE

Indiana Man Faces Blizzard Until He Becomes Exhausted and Dies of Heart Failure at Aberdeen, S. D. Duluth Badly Blocked by Drifts of Snow Piled Up by a High Northeast Wind.

St. Paul, Feb. 16.—St. Paul and nearby points in the Northwest are probably experiencing the last very cold snap of the season. It will last several days. It will embrace the Great Lakes region and the Iowa and Dakota plains.

Railroads and rural carriers are blocked at most district centers throughout the Northwest on account of drifts of snow which beat about into drifts and mists in the winds. The snow swept down across the Dakotas, gathering in its one last effort about Fargo and Fergus Falls, where it stopped altogether. The cold immediately began to be felt.

Throughout Wisconsin and Northern Michigan sleet interferes with the operation of railroads and promises still greater embarrassment to these carriers. Orders are out warning engineers and trainmen for slow time where dangers seem probable.

Duluth was badly blocked, the furies of snow being lashed by a high northeast wind. The street rail was forced to abandon its schedule, but continued running. All railroad trains were late in the Head of the Lakes, some an hour or more. The snow ceased shortly after noon; the wind went down; the temperature chilled into a biting cold.

Forty-mile winds and zero cold hit Southern Iowa like a blast and visitations of snow added to the general discomfort. The fuel supply is being closely watched, although no serious difficulty is anticipated, if the temperature rises within a week.

Communication Demoralized.

Telegraph and telephone communication was almost demoralized to interior points of the Dakotas, and was somewhat affected all over the Northwest. Northwest winds and below-zero cold prevail throughout the Dakotas and Montana. In extreme Western Dakota and Montana railroading was suspended on all branch lines where conditions were worst. It is feared suffering will be caused to stock and homesteaders by the sudden and unexpected cold. On account of the lack of communication with interior points no report can be obtained of general conditions. The Black Hills are shivering in the grip of cold running to about 20 below zero. Five below is reported in Deadwood. Efforts to reach the stock-raising sections of the Black Hills proved unavailing.

Aberdeen was utterly cut off from the outside world for a time. There was eight inches of snow, which was drifting badly, with no prospect of a let up in the wind.

At Aberdeen T. T. Smithers of Dunkirk, Ind., twenty-two years old, while facing the gale and after a long exposure to the blizzard, dropped dead of heart failure. This is the only fatality reported due to the storm.

Butte, Mont., anticipates 10 below zero. Interior points of Montana also report very low temperatures. Loss of cattle is feared.

INSURGENT FORCES RETREAT

Government Troops Recapture City of Matagalpa, Nicaragua.

Managua, Feb. 16.—The forces of President Madriz have again taken possession of Matagalpa, which on Feb. 10 was occupied by General Chamorro, one of the insurgent leaders. The bombardment of the city, which was begun Sunday night, after notification had been given to the noncombatants to withdraw, was abandoned for some hours, and begun again. The government forces had heavy guns on the hills, but the insurgents were with-out means to reply at long range. Chamorro therefore deemed it advisable to retreat, and under the cover of darkness evacuated Matagalpa.

Generals Lara, Chavarria, Hartinez and Rivas, each of whom commanded sections of the government troops, re-occupied the city. Chamorro did not escape any too soon, as he was nearly surrounded by the government forces.

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

Iowa Tots Are Cremated While Their Mother Is Absent.

Centerville, Ia., Feb. 16.—Two children of Clifford Pierce, a girl, four years old and a boy one year old, were burned to death in their home. The mother left the two children alone while she went to a neighbor's half a mile away.

The house was in flames when she returned. With difficulty she was restrained from rushing into the fire.

The two children were found beneath the bed, where they attempted to escape, burned to a crisp. It is presumed the little girl was playing with matches.

ROBERT A. TAFT.

Fails to Get a Place on Yale Debating Team.



YOUNG TAFT A COMPETITOR

But Fails to Land on the Yale Debating Team.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 16.—Robert A. Taft, son of the president, was a competitor in the annual Yale debate, but he was not selected a member of the team which will meet Harvard and Princeton on the platform next month. All the speakers spoke on the income tax. Young Taft declared the need for it imperative. He said that although the tax was wretchedly administered in 1864, it was successful in meeting the grave emergency which faced the country, and that doubtless it would fill the requirements of the present emergency, for it would be much more efficiently administered if adopted.

EXPRESS RATES SAID TO BE EXTORTIONATE

Complaint Filed With Minnesota Railroad Commission.

St. Paul, Feb. 16.—Attorney General Simpson has filed complaint with the state railroad and warehouse commission that the rates charged by the express companies doing business in Minnesota are "unequal, unreasonable, discriminate and extortionate," and that 75 per cent of the present rates would be ample compensation. The formal action is the direct result of the conference two weeks ago between the railroad commissioners, Governor Eberhart, State Auditor Iverson and Mr. Simpson, but is believed to be indirectly, at least in part, due to the complaint made several months ago by Senator B. E. Sandberg of Kennedy and James Mahan against the Great Northern Express company, which is still pending before the commission. This complaint alleged that the Great Northern Express company was making a net annual profit of 667 per cent on its full investment, and said that from 40 to 75 per cent of the present rates would be reasonable.

The complaint was filed about seven months ago. The company filed its answer with the commission, but since then nothing has been done.

EVIDENCE OF A MONOPOLY

Brought Out in a Suit to Dissolve Alleged Railroad Combine.

New York, Feb. 16.—Evidence of minimized competition and practical control of the Asiatic freight traffic moved west from the Missouri river to Portland and San Francisco by the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific railway system since the merger of the two roads in 1901 was brought out with the resumption of the hearing in the suit of the federal government to dissolve the merger. John C. Stubbs, general traffic manager of the Harriman lines, occupied the whole day's session as a witness before Sylvester C. Williams, the special examiner who is conducting the inquiry.

Mr. Stubbs admitted, on cross-examination by C. A. Severance of counsel for the government, that the Union Pacific held stock ownership of the Oregon Short Line, which gave the former road a direct line from the Missouri river to Portland.

"So that all the Asiatic business moved from the Missouri river to Portland would be handled by the Union Pacific alone?" asked Mr. Severance.

"Yes, that is so," the witness replied. On request Mr. Stubbs produced figures showing the decrease in New York freight over the Sunset line from 79 per cent of the total in 1891 to 39 per cent in 1901, the year of the merger. The government contends that only a small part of this was due to legitimate competition.

Two Girls Badly Hurt.

Hastings, Minn., Feb. 16.—Several young people in a coasting party received injuries at Spring street hill in the capsizing of a big bobbed while descending the big slide there. The most severely injured were Miss Alma M. Hanson of Hastings and Miss Lila Nelson of Etter, the former sustaining a fracture of the right hip and the latter a broken leg.

WOULD AVOID OSTENTATION

TWO DAKOTA MEN INJURED

Electric Cars Collide Near Los Angeles, Cal.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 16.—Two men, each with a broken leg, and a dozen other passengers who sustained lesser injuries, were the victims of a rear-end collision of a Long Beach car with the northbound Catalina special on the Pacific Electric, between Na-deau and Florence stations, just outside the southern limits of Los Angeles.

The Catalina special, stopped by reason of trouble with the air brakes, was smashed by the car from Long Beach which was traveling at about thirty miles an hour. The injured are:

Charles F. Drevy, Bowdle, S. D., left leg broken, and H. A. Batie, Bottineau, N. D., left leg broken.

Missing Tug Sighted.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 16.—Bound up the coast for Boston with a stay sail rigged on the forward derrick post, the little naval tug Nina, which has been missing since Feb. 6, was sighted last Sunday afternoon off Montauk Point, L. I., by the whaleback steamer Bay View, which arrived here from Searport, Me. Captain Cummings of the Bay View says that the Nina apparently was all right, that she flew no distress signals and that he did not then know of the anxiety about her safety.

The Perverse Comma.

That curious and now stereotyped blunder of punctuation which gives us "God rest you, merry gentlemen," as an inferior substitute for the quaint old greeting, "God rest you merry, gentlemen," turns up regularly every Christmas. It is a pity for the ancient formula to be thus perverted since "God rest you merry" or "Rest you merry" was a recognized form of salutation in Elizabethan days and may be found in the works of Shakespeare and of many contemporary writers, while for the modernized form, which obscures the original sense of the phrase, there is, of course, no authority whatever. If any one will have the curiosity to look up the old Christmas carol which begins with the words in question he will find them correctly punctuated.—London World.

Alaskan Glaciers.

An interesting fact about Alaskan glaciers is that some are "dead" and others are "alive." Davidson glacier, which is really a tongue of the Muir glacier, has been ascended by travelers for a number of years. It is a dead glacier, having a moraine of several miles between it and the sea. Looking at it from the boat, it represents a kaleidoscopic appearance as the sun shines upon it, and the surface seems scratched with tiny pin lines. These are in reality deep crevices, which must be approached cautiously, for they are lurking pitfalls for the unwary.—Vancouver Providence.

Tuberculosis Pavilion Opened.

Duluth, Feb. 16.—The tuberculosis pavilion which has been under construction at the poor farm has been opened and eight patients have been admitted. There are accommodations for twenty-five. The pavilion cost \$10,000. The patients will be given daily treatment.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat. Minneapolis, Feb. 15.—Wheat—May \$1.13 1/4 @ 1.13 3/4; Sept., \$1.12 1/4 @ 1.12 3/4. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.14 @ 1.15. No. 1 Northern, \$1.13 1/2 @ 1.14 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.11 1/2 @ 1.12 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.06 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 15.—Wheat—To arrive on and track—No. 1 hard, \$1.13 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.13 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.11 1/2; May and July, \$1.13 1/2. Flax—In store, on track, to arrive and May, \$2.18 1/2; Sept., \$1.70.

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$6.75 @ 7.50; fair to good, \$5.00 @ 6.75; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.25 @ 5.25; veals, \$5.00 @ 7.25. Hogs—\$8.50 @ 8.90. Sheep—Wethers, \$5.85 @ 6.40; yearlings, \$5.00 @ 5.85; spring lambs, \$8.00 @ 8.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Wheat—May, \$1.12 1/2 @ 1.12 3/4; July, \$1.03 1/2; Sept., 98¢. Corn—May, 67¢ @ 67 1/2¢; July, 67¢; Sept., 67¢. Oats—May, 47¢ @ 47 1/2¢; July, 44¢; Sept., 44¢. Pork—May, \$23.35; July, \$23.25. Butter—Creameries, 25¢ @ 28¢; dairies, 21¢ @ 25¢. Eggs—17¢ @ 24¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 17¢; chickens and springs, 16¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Beefves, \$4.35 @ 7.80; Texas steers, \$4.00 @ 5.10; Western steers, \$4.20 @ 6.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.15 @ 5.50; cows and heifers, \$2.25 @ 5.80; calves, \$7.00 @ 9.25. Hogs—Light, \$8.70 @ 9.15; mixed, \$8.75 @ 9.25; heavy, \$8.75 @ 9.25; rough, \$8.75 @ 8.80; good to choice heavy, \$8.90 @ 9.25; pigs, \$7.80 @ 8.90. Sheep—Natives, \$4.70 @ 6.75; yearlings, \$7.25 @ 8.50; lambs, \$6.75 @ 9.00.

Roosevelt Does Not Want to Be Lionized in France.

MERELY A MAN OF LEARNING

Former President of the United States Desires That His Visit to Paris Be Devoid of the Spectacular Features Which Characterized the Visit of General Grant to the French Capital City.

Paris, Feb. 16.—M. Liard, vice rector of the University of Paris, has been officially advised that Theodore Roosevelt will reach Paris about April 14 and that the length of his stay will probably not exceed three or four days.

The French government is anxious to receive the former president of the United States with the highest honors. French society is prepared to lionize him; the literary, philosophical, geographical and scientific bodies all desire to entertain him and the American colony would like to give a grand banquet in his honor. But Mr. Roosevelt has discreetly allowed it to be understood that he particularly desires to avoid any appearance of ostentation and that he will preserve, as far as possible, merely the role of a man of learning, in which capacity he accepted the invitation to lecture at the Sorbonne extended to him through Ambassador Jusserand while he still occupied the White House.

Wishes Will Be Carried Out.

Mr. Roosevelt's wishes will be carried out in the main, but the government has declined to forego the honor of entertaining him, and the ex-president has accepted the invitation of President Fallieres to be his guest at a dinner at the Elysee palace. This was arranged by Ambassador Jusserand, who will make a special trip across the Atlantic to be present during Mr. Roosevelt's stay.

The exact programme at the Sorbonne will not be definitely arranged by the council of the university until after further consultation with the ex-president. The council would like to arrange one of its famous fetes in his honor, at which a Greek play would be produced, but it doubts whether Mr. Roosevelt would accept. It has been provisionally decided that after the lecture, which will be held in the grand amphitheater in the afternoon, a large reception will be held in the grand salon of the university, at which the lecturer will meet a brilliant assemblage of French savants, including "the forty immortals," the leading French scientists and philosophers and other distinguished persons. On April 16 Mr. Roosevelt will be received in solemn audience by the institute, of which he is a member in virtue of his recent election as an associate member of the Academy of Political and Moral Sciences.

Loeb in Charge of Reception.

Washington, Feb. 16.—At the request of President Taft, Collector Loeb of New York has taken upon himself the arrangements for the reception of Colonel Roosevelt, when the latter returns to New York about the middle of June. The president desires that all inquiries concerning this function be addressed to Mr. Loeb, who will keep Mr. Taft advised of the progress made.

MINE EMPLOYES NOTIFIED

Must Let Company Know if They Wish to Work.

Deadwood, S. D., Feb. 16.—The first step toward resuming operations under the nonunion plan were taken up by the Bald Mountain Mining company, which shut down last month when they served written notice on several hundred of their former employees to notify the company by Feb. 21 if they wished to work.

It is understood most of the men who received notices are in sympathy with the management of the companies and are willing to go to work as soon as the properties are opened.

The managers assert they intend to operate, and if sufficient men cannot be secured here outside help will be obtained. The Homestake has had little difficulty in securing all the men it desired.

They declare themselves able to keep the mines open and do not anticipate any trouble.

The card system will be employed, similar to that now in use in the Homestake.

One on Him.

"Pardon me," said a gentleman at the entrance to a downtown restaurant. "I have something on you." "And may I ask what it is?" "My hat"—Birmingham Age-Herald.



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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Chas. W. Foulke, of Philadelphia, Penn., was registered at a local hotel last night.

Mrs. Thos. H. Beare went to Minneapolis this afternoon to visit with friends for a few days.

Men wanted to cut cord wood. Enquire at 305 South Sixth Street.

DR. BRUNS fits glasses correctly. Consult him at the Ransford, Feb. 23 and 24. Eyes examined free. 3t

The night trains, though slightly delayed, went through all right and all mail due here during the night came in all right.

There will be no meeting of Brainerd Homestead, No. 602, B. A. Y., until one week from tonight, Feb. 23. It CHAS. RISK.

D. A. Robinson came down today from Pine River, near which place he has been looking over some timber.

All kinds of pork reduced from 2 to 3 cents at Baker's Meat Market. 203tf

The thermometer fell rapidly last night, various reports on the temperature being from 20 to 25 degrees below zero.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Smith are the proud parents of a fine girl baby who put in her appearance at their home Monday morning.

Buy your meats at Baker's Meat Market. Prices on pork reduced from 2 to 3 cents a pound. 203tf

Mrs. Fred A. Moerke, who was operated upon for appendicitis about ten days ago at St. Joseph's hospital, returned to her home this afternoon.

W. S. Tyler, of Wautoma, Wis., who has been visiting at the home of his cousin, Harry Titus, left last night for Dickerson, N. D., on business, from which place he will return to his home.

Geo. A. Coppersmith has been laying off because of a sore leg caused by the wreck and Conductor Moerke took his run out yesterday, returning today. Conductor McDonald is on Conductor Moerke's regular run.

To avoid danger of typhoid fever boil all river water used for drinking purposes. Dr. R. A. Beise, Health Officer. 211-tf

The Dispatch is in receipt of a communication from a resident of Belgium asking for copies of the paper containing descriptive matter relating to the new iron fields of the Cuyuna range in this county. Our fame is spreading.

M. W. George, of Duluth, has accepted the position of head clerk in the yard offices here, succeeding James D. Edwards, resigned. A. J. Loom is assisting in the yard office until Mr. George gets onto the ropes a little more thoroughly.

Money to loan on improved real estate at reasonable rates. Apply to Smith Bros., Sleeper block. 201wtf

Editors A. J. Halsted and N. H. Ingersoll left this afternoon for St. Paul to attend the session of the Minnesota Editorial association which convenes there tomorrow. Howard Ingersoll accompanied them to Minneapolis on business.

Mrs. C. R. Sanborn, of Bemidji, formerly Miss Leila Stanton, was in the city today on her way to Minneapolis for a few days visit. Her father, Judge C. W. Stanton, will make an address before the State Editorial association tomorrow at St. Paul.

Prices on pork reduced from 2 to 3 cents a pound at Baker's Meat Market. 203tf

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Stark, of Southeast Brainerd, was held from the First Congregational church today, Rev. J. A. Caskey officiating. The services were followed by interment in Evergreen cemetery. The deceased was a member of White Sand Lodge, No. 360, M. B. A., and the members of that organization attended the funeral in a body.

Boil all drinking water to avoid danger of typhoid fever. Dr. R. A. Beise, Health Officer. 211-tf

G. E. Lowe, of Duluth, arrived in the city yesterday and has relieved Jeremiah M. Glunt as yardmaster in the local yards. Mr. Glunt, who has been switching since the commencement of the switchmen's strike, has taken a ninety days leave of absence and will, it is said, leave about the last of February for an extended trip to the west.

Men wanted to cut cord wood. Enquire at 305 South Sixth Street. 212tf

The switch engines in the yard here had considerable trouble today in moving some of the cars which were badly drifted in, and it is probable that it will be a day or two before it will be possible to get onto many of the sidings along the line, especially where the yards are exposed to the wind and the snow will drift. The company was trying to get men to shovel snow yesterday afternoon, but the pay and the work did not seem to strike the fancy of the few idle men in Brainerd and it is said that very few were secured.

When you want a good leader see HOFFBAUER, 611 6th St. S. 13-5ml

Wanted—50 men at once to cut cord wood. Good wages. Enquire Hugo Schwartzkoff, or 305 6th St. south 216-tf

F. A. Glass has opened his office as a mining engineer in room 215, Citizens State bank building. Mr. Glass is an experienced man at that work and should do well here. It is a noticeable fact that the leading iron land men and engineers are more and more making their headquarters at Brainerd. As one of them apply stated: "If any town on the range profits by the development of the mines, Brainerd must profit also. This is the county seat and records, which must be referred to constantly, are here."

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Jacob Schmidt's bottle beer is delicious. We have the agency. Order a case. Phone 164, John Coates Liquor Co. 1f

The three days blizzard of olden times seems to be a fake this year. Tuesday morning dawned with every indication that there would be an old fashioned snow storm, and the weather kept up a pretty good bluff the entire day. Much snow fell and it drifted a good deal, but the wind went down with the sun that night and this morning was beautifully clear. The only train seriously delayed was that from the south. This train, though coming from the twin cities, is brought from Little Falls by the engine and engine crew and train crew which comes from Morris to Little Falls. The branch was badly blocked Tuesday and this train was over eight hours late in getting into Brainerd.

Danger of typhoid fever can be avoided by boiling all river water used for drinking purposes. Dr. R. A. Beise, Health Officer. 211-tf

Presenting Arms to a Cat.
About the middle of the last century a very high English official died in a fortress at a place that is one of the centers of Brahmanic orthodoxy, and at the moment when the news of his death reached the sepoy guard at the main gate a black cat rushed out of it. The guard presented arms to the cat as a salute to the flying spirit of the powerful Englishman, and the coincidence took so firm a hold of the locality that up to a few years ago neither exhortation or orders could prevent a Hindu sentry at that gate from presenting arms to any cat that passed out at night.—Bombay Times.

Her Proof.
"Why," asked the judge, "do you think your husband is dead? You say you haven't heard from him for more than a year. Do you consider that reasonable proof that he has passed out of existence?"

"Yes, your honor. If he was still alive he'd be asking me to send him money." —Chicago Record-Herald.

The Alternative.
"Let's go to the theater." "I've nothing to wear." "Then we'll go to the opera." —Lippin's.

Mr. S. F. Alderman will sing at the Musical Club next Saturday afternoon, Feb. 19th. A good program has been prepared.

PIE FOR BREAKFAST.

Once Considered as Much a Virtue as Early Rising.

I am aware that, according to the latest edition of the revised statutes, eating pie at breakfast is now a penitentiary offense, punishable by hard labor on the farm for a period not exceeding eighty-five years. But it once shared with early rising the reputation of a virtuous act. There are people today who are well thought of in the community—who even "dress for dinner," bless your heart—who have, none the less, eaten pie for breakfast and have tipped back on their chairs' hind legs and sat thus with such a smile upon their faces as spoke of peace with all the world, themselves included.

But nowadays merely to talk of so much fried stuff, pork and eggs and potatoes and pancakes and so much sweet stuff, molasses, fruit preserves, coffee cup a puddle of sugar, pie and all that, sends us who hear it to the kitchen cupboard, where the cooking soda is, first aid to the indigestible. To eat such a meal seems hardly less barbarous than wearing feathers in a scalp lock. But remember that we didn't work all day yesterday from before daylight till after dark. We didn't tumble into bed and fall sound asleep ever our heads had touched the pillow, so anxious was the night shift of the body's repair gang to get on the job of tearing out old tissues and putting in new. We didn't waken in the morning to find a hurry order for more raw material hanging on the back, and we didn't put an edge like a broken bottle on that hurry call by stirring around at fifty-seven kinds of temper snarling chores.

We haven't before us a whole long morning with a mail and glut, splitting rails or breaking up new ground with a bulky team—a morning so long that it becomes a young eternity about 10:30 o'clock, when the front of the body below the waist begins again to chafe and grind on the backbone in spite of all the fats and sweats that can be put in between at breakfast to act as fender.—Everybody's Magazine.

FIRST CHILDREN'S BOOKS.

Sheets of Horn Protected the Pages From Soiled Fingers.

The earliest English book for children was "The Babes' Book, or a Lyttle Report of How Young People Should Behave." The horn books existed in Elizabeth's reign. The writing was covered with a sheet of horn in order to protect the lettering from contact with dirty fingers.

The chap book contained most of the familiar nursery rhymes and stories which have appertained to nursery lore for generations. They exhibit very crude woodcuts, often daubed with inappropriate color, and the commonest paper as a rule was used. They were hawked about by the chapman or peddler and cost only a few pence apiece.

They served to perpetuate such familiar ditties as "Sing a Song of Sixpence," which dates from the sixteenth century; "Three Blind Mice," in use, with music, in 1609; "The Frog and the Mouse," in existence in 1580, and "Girls and Boys Come Out to Play," which was sung by the villagers in the time of Charles II. "Little Jack Horner," we know, is older than the seventeenth century, and last, but not least, "Lucy Locket," the tune from which originated "Yankee Doodle."

A few of what were called "bottle-door books" have been handed down to us. They were three leaved cards which were folded up into oblong pocket shaped volumes. These taught reading and numerals in the dame schools in town and country. The little gift books, as they were called, adorned on the outside with gilt Dutch paper colored flowers, were much prized gift books of that period. Children were employed coloring such picture books by hand, one child doing all the red in the series of illustrations, another all the blue, and so on. Of course they gained precision by repetition, but we very often find the tints overlapping as if carried out by an inexperienced hand.—London Queen.

Her Mild Complaint.

Patient Parent—George, what do you think I found in my bed last night? George—What was it, mamma? Patient Parent—A railroad train and a fire engine.—Harper's Bazar.

YOUR FACE

Blackheads, blotches and pimples are caused by the improper action of the bowels. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets, regulates the bowels, makes your complexion clear and beautiful and gives you that healthy look.—Johnson's Pharmacy.

Proceedings in Bankruptcy

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Fifth Division.
In the matter of John Wise, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy.
To the Honorable Judge Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota:
John Wise of the city of Brainerd, in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 7th day of December, 1909, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.
Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankruptcy acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.
Dated this 10th day of February, 1910.
JOHN WISE, Bankrupt.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Fifth Division—ss.
On the 12th day of February, A. D. 1910, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1910, before said Court, at Duluth, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice thereof be published in the Brainerd Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if they have any, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.
Witness the Honorable Judge Morris, of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Duluth, in said district, on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1910.
CHARLES L. SPENCER, Clerk.
By THOS. H. PRESSNELL, Deputy Clerk.

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Is made in a Union mill,

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Order a Sack.

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\$10.50



Changed the Koreans.

Koreans were quick to quarrel in ancient days and won a bad reputation on this account. At one time, a historian explains, fatal quarrels became so frequent in the country that drastic measures were necessary. A law was promulgated ordering adult males to wear on all occasions a china head-dress shaped like an inverted flower-pot. It was impossible to fight when crowned with this fragile gear, and the penalties for removing it were severe. The first offense entailed fifty blows on the soles of the feet, and the second meant decapitation. This decree had the most soothing effects, the nature of the inhabitants changed as if by magic, and Korea was called the Land of the Morning Calm.

Sure.

Mrs. Church—Are your children being brought up to help themselves? Mrs. Gotham—Oh, yes; I never lack the cooky jar!—Yonkers Statesman.

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AWYERS ARE NOT LABORERS

That Everybody Knew Judicially Settled in Decision by Judge McClenahan

NO CLAIM ON EXEMPTIONS

Constitutional Provision Giving Laborers Preference Does Not Apply to Lawyers

Judge McClenahan Monday handed down a decision which settles the long question "Is an attorney a laborer?" The mass of the laity could laugh to scorn any statement that a lawyer works, beyond working his clients, but never before in the history of Crow Wing or Cass county has the question been judicially decided upon. It has been decided now. Judge McClenahan, in decision in the case of J. S. Scribner vs. E. B. Townsend, has held that a lawyer was not a servant or laborer in the meaning of Art. 1, Sec. 1 of the constitution of the state of Minnesota.

Mr. Scribner, who is an attorney of Pine River, Minn., held a judgment against E. B. Townsend. Townsend sold the timber on his homestead to J. M. Quinn, of Brainerd, and Scribner levied on the money in the hands of Mr. Quinn. Townsend, through M. E. Ryan, of this city, asked an order to show cause why the levy should not be declared void on the ground that the timber was part of Townsend's homestead. Scribner opposed the granting of the order, on the ground that the constitutional provision, cited above, provided that nothing should be exempt from levy for the claim of any laborer or servant for labor or services rendered. Judge McClenahan ordered the levy discharged or released, saying in his memoranda of the case: "I really think it would somewhat look the part of the state should any court so classify their professional service."

The profession are also having a little fun at Attorney Scribner's expense for another reason. One of the cases cited by him to support his contention of the law was that of the driver of a scavenger wagon, Duluth, who successfully levied on the homestead of his employer. Scribner unwittingly placed himself in the same class with the driver of a scavenger wagon.

STORM ABATED QUICKLY

Weather Predictions of Continued Gale Were Not Fulfilled in This Section

The Rebekah Social club, which was to have met with Mrs. W. F. Oist, 421 North Fourth street Tuesday afternoon, was postponed on account of the storm and will be held at the same place Friday afternoon, February 18.

No Cases on Record

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. For sale by all druggists.

Chinese Combings.

Large quantities of what are known as Chinese combings are imported from China and Trieste or Hamburg packed in boxes wrapped in straw and weighing from 125 to 130 pounds per bale. This Chinese hair is all chemically bleached in a solution of hydrogen peroxide and assorted according to lengths, then dyed colors and shades desired by purchasers. The lengths vary from six to thirty-five inches.

What They Were Hawking.

At an exhibition of paintings in London in one of the galleries hung the picture "Hawking in the Olden Times." An elderly farmer and his wife paused before this picture, viewing it with evident satisfaction. "John," said the old lady, "what's that?" John then turned over the leaves of the catalogue he carried. "They call it 'Hawking in the Olden Time,'" said he. "Hawking? Why, what are they hawking?" she inquired. "I dunno," he replied, "but I suspect they're trying to sell them birds."

Later Returns.

Mildred—So you are engaged to young Wilson, eh? I thought you said your love for him was purely platonic? Helen—And it was before he inherited half a million and asked me to marry him.—Chicago News.

Do farmers eat the proper sort of food?

The farmer of today buys a much larger proportion of the food that goes on the table than he did ten years ago. It's a good thing that this is so because he has a great variety to select from.

He should, however, use great care in selecting for the best results in health and strength.

The widespread tendency in the city to increase the amount of Quaker Oats eaten is due very largely to the recent demonstrations by scientific men that the Quaker Oats fed man is the man with greatest physical endurance and greatest mental vigor.

Farmers should give this subject careful thought and should increase the quantity of Quaker Oats eaten by themselves, their children and their farm hands.

DON'T BLAME THE CARRIER

Publication of The Dispatch Badly Delayed Last Night by the Snow Blockade

Do not lay the blame on the carrier because your Daily Dispatch was not delivered last night. The publication of the paper was delayed because of the non-arrival of the train from Minneapolis bearing the daily news service. This train, which is due in Brainerd at 1:20 p. m., did not arrive until 9:30. Owing to the drifted condition of the streets it was practically impossible for the carriers to deliver them at that time of night and they were given permission to deliver them this morning.

A Sensation

The marvelous curative properties of Foley's Honey and Tar has proven a sensation in many cases of severe coughs and colds that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar will stop your cough, heal the lungs and expel the cold from your system. Contains no harmful drugs. For sale by all druggists.

May Return to Work

It is reported that several conferences have been held between the local switchmen and the local officials of the railroad, regarding the switchmen here returning to work. It is stated by an official today that another conference would be held today at 5 p. m. concerning the matter and it is confidently hoped that the matter will be satisfactorily adjusted.

Mistake Corrected

Correct the mistake of risking pneumonia by neglecting a cough or cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will not only stop your cough but expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is the best and safest throat and lung remedy. For sale by all druggists.

FOOLED HIS SUPERIOR.

An Astonished Pasha and a Lieutenant Who Won Promotion.

Kassim Pasha when minister of war for Egypt was very particular in regard to the personal appearance of his officers and issued stringent orders that they should never appear unshaven in public. One day he met upon the street a lieutenant who had bearded the pasha and disregarded his orders. "To what regiment do you belong?" demanded the indignant minister. "To the — regiment, at Abassseh," replied the frightened lieutenant. "Get into my carriage at once so that I can carry you to the encampment and have you publicly punished," was the stern command which followed.

The young man obeyed, and the twain rode along gloomily enough for some time, when the pasha stopped his carriage and entered an office where he would be detained for some time on business. Seizing the opportunity, the culprit sprang from the vehicle, darted into a neighboring barber's stall and regained his post before the return of his jailer minus his beard. For the remainder of the route the officer buried his face in his hands and seemed the picture of apprehension.

Abassseh was reached at last, and all the officers were assembled to witness the degradation of their comrade, who all the while kept well in the rear of his chief. "Come forward, you son of a dog!" cried the irate pasha, when there stepped before him an officer with a face as clean as a baby's and a look of the most supreme innocence. His excellency gave one look of blank astonishment and then, with an appreciative smile breaking over his war worn features, turned to the assembled officers and said, "Here, gentlemen, your old minister is a fool, and your young lieutenant is a captain."

A Night Alarm

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children as it contains no harmful drugs. For sale by all druggists.

An Italian Superstition.

There is an Italian superstition that whenever a king belonging to the house of Savoy dies a huge eagle is to be seen crossing the Alps over the valley of Aosta in the direction of Savoy, and the conviction prevails among the inhabitants of Aosta that this eagle guides the soul of the dead sovereign to join those of his ancestors in Savoy. When King Charles Albert died at Lisbon, King Victor Emmanuel died at Rome and King Humbert died at Monza in 1900 the eagle was seen winging its way across the Alps. All other eagles crossing the Alps don't seem to count for much.

Ancient Ropes.

Ropes made of various kinds of fiber and leather are of very ancient date. Ropes of palm have been found in Egypt in the tombs of Beni-Hassan (about 3000 B. C.) and on the walls of these tombs is also shown the process of preparing hemp. In a tomb at Thebes of the time of Thothmes III. (about 1600 B. C.) is a group representing the process of twisting thongs of leather and the method of cutting leather into thongs.

We're All Alike.

"The Chinese worship ancestors." "How queer! By the way, have you heard the latest? Marjorie is engaged to a real live duke!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

SUPERVISOR OF CENSUS HERE

E. E. McCrae Spending the Day in Brainerd on Matters Concerning the Census

RURAL DISTRICTS ANNOUNCED

There will be Fourteen Districts in County outside of City of Brainerd

E. E. McCrae, supervisor of the census for the Sixth congressional district, spent today in the city in the interests of that work, meeting many of those who took the tests at the recent examination. While here Mr. McCrae gave out the various districts into which the county will be divided outside of the city of Brainerd. There are fourteen of these districts, and they are as follows, each paragraph constituting a district:

Crow Wing and Ft. Ripley.
Daggett Brook, Platt Lake and Roosevelt.
Deerwood and Deerwood village, Garrison and Bay Lake.
Long Lake and Maple Grove.
Oak Lawn and Nokay Lake.
Klondyke, including fractional towns 22-47-30, 47-29, 46-30 and Rabbit Lake.
St. Mathias.
Baxter, 134-27, 134-28, 134-29 (east half), Smiley, Lake Edwards, 135-27 (fractional).
Dean Lake, Ross Lake, Perry Lake and 136-27.
Little Pine, Fairfield and Emily.
Watertown, Allen, 138-28, 138-29 (east half).
Pelican, Sibley and Pequot village, Ideal, Jenkins and Jenkins village.
It is reported that the test papers show that a comparatively large number of those who took the examination in Brainerd passed in the tests, and while extra efforts will have to be made in some counties, it is said, to get enumerators, especially for the country districts, it is probable that no such difficulty exists here. It will, Mr. McCrae stated, probably be some time before the enumerators are announced, as all recommendations and all test papers have to be forwarded to Washington for approval before any appointments are announced. As there were over 400 test schedules submitted in this district this will necessarily take considerable time. There will also be many vacant districts to provide for. In districts where no applicant has qualified, such districts can be filled from applicants in adjoining districts who have successfully passed the tests.

One question which has caused the census officials considerable worry is whether or not college pupils, teachers, etc., should be counted in the district where they are attending school or teaching or at their former homes. It has been finally decided that this question should be put up to the person enumerated. "Have you or have you not severed your connection with your old home?" If the answer be yes, then the party should be counted, but if no, then no enumeration should be made. The same test should be applied to absent members of local households who are away teaching. If they have severed their connection with their home, the district enumerator should not count them, but if they are expected to return, then they should be counted.

A MOTHER'S GRATITUDE

Many a Mother in Brainerd Will Appreciate the Following

Many a strong man and many a healthy woman has much for which to thank mother. The care taken during their childhood brought them past the danger point and made them healthy men and women. Children are generally bothered at some period with incontinence of urine, and inability to retain it is oftentimes called a habit. It is not the child's fault—the difficulty lies with the kidneys, and can be readily righted if taken in the proper way. A Brainerd mother shows you how. Mrs. S. R. Swanson, N. Sixth and Bluff Ave., Brainerd, Minn., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from H. P. Dunn's drug store, were used in our family with the best of results. Two of my children were annoyed by a weakness of the kidneys. It was only a short time after the use of Doan's Kidney Pills was begun that the irregularity in the passages of the kidney secretions was corrected. All parents should know of the curative powers of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Not Her.

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Mrs. Murphy—Niver, doctor! Fur be it from me to hit a man whin he's down!—Puck.

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Man's Chivalry to the Fried Goddess of the Fireside.

As we men frequently admit, it is our chivalrous regard for woman which leads us to desire that she shall confine her wholly admirable energies to the making of our home and the keeping of our houses. She is tender and frail, and so we urge that she shall not for a moment drop her role as the goddess of the household. There is nothing that so rouses our almost sacred admiration as to see our own particular goddess with a dishrag in one hand and a frying pan in the other. Let us never desert this high ideal of womanhood and its lofty purpose in life.

Particularly let us not do so because if a woman does not keep the house it will not be kept. Would we men engineer and prepare 1,005 meals in one year? Would we wash dishes 1,005 times, wipe them 1,005 times, sew, darn, mend, devote our lives to a gray monotony of treadmill effort? Not on your life! Our chivalrous regard for adored woman would not permit it. And we would go crazy within six months if we tried. I know of nothing that we should cling to more closely than this chivalrous regard for our womanhood. It saves the cost of many and many a hired girl.

I have penned this little tribute to man's chivalrous regard for woman because anybody can see that it deserves it. Woman, the housekeeper (and nothing else), the fried goddess of the fireside, the queen of her domestic domain, with a stewpan for a tiara and a stove hook for a scepter, let us together pledge her, while we register our chivalrous vow that we will keep her where she is unless we men need her as a stenographer or something else, in which event our chivalrous regard may stretch a few points.—California Monthly.

Directions for Colic in Horses.

Contents of small bottle Painkiller (Perry Davis) in quart bottle, add pint warm or cold water, sweeten with molasses, shake well until all mixed. Give about half at once, then balance in fifteen minutes, if first dose is not sufficient. This will be found a neverfailing remedy. 25c for large bottle. Also in 25c and 50c sizes.

Wheat and the Boy.

Willie—Pa, what does "good as wheat" mean? Pa—Don't bother me, Willie—Pa, would you say I was as "good as wheat"? Pa—I might after you were properly thrashed, and that's what will happen to you if you don't stop asking questions.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. For sale by all druggists.

She Was Frank.

Miss Mary Morris, daughter of the late William Morris, poet and craftsman, said at a dinner in New York: "I like the American taste for its frankness. Better be frank, even if wrong. The pretty American girl was by no means hopeless whose comment on first seeing the incomparable glory of the Venus de Medici was, 'I wouldn't be seen dead with ankles like that!'"

What Everybody Wants

Everybody desires good health, which is impossible unless the kidneys are healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all forms of kidney or bladder disorders. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and prevent Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

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Three lots corner 10th and Grove St. cash—\$325.

House and four lots in village of Sylvan Lake—\$150

Quarter block residence lots North side for short time—cash—\$1050

A quarter block of residence lots on North 4th St.—terms—\$1500

The Walter Davis house cor. Bluff and Broadway—terms—\$2500

The Chas. Swanson house S. Norwood St.—terms—\$2500

One hundred and sixty acres mortgage \$800. Long time—will take \$700 for my equity. This is east of town, fine clay land, fair house and barn.

The Snell ranch near Cross Lake—99 acres, good buildings—on lake—\$10 an acre.

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THE MAN OF THE HOUR

The secretary's pallid, expressionless mask of a face broke in a flash into a look of infinite love and yearning. With a single gesture he gathered Cynthia's fragile body in his arms and crushed her against his breast.

"Oh, my little sister!" he murmured, a great sob choking his words. "My little, little sister!"

Phelan cleared his throat and coughed savagely to express his contempt for the mist that sprang into his own hard old eyes. The sound recalled the secretary to himself.

"You've trapped me into this," he exclaimed, with a laugh that was half a groan, "and you must both promise not to betray my secret. It won't be much longer now, thank God! But you'll both promise, won't you?"

"Sure!" assented Phelan. "And you, too, Cynthia?" pleaded her brother. "You can trust me, can't you?"

"Of course I can. If you insist, I won't tell any one. I'm—"

"I'm happier this minute than I've ever been in all my whole life!" smiled the secretary, again clasping his sister in his arms. "If you only knew, little girl, how I've longed for this!"

"Here's the fan!" announced Perry, hurrying around the corner of the doorway. "Found it under a!"

He stopped short, open mouthed, dumb and motionless. Thompson and his sister stood in close embrace before him, with Phelan looking on like some obese caricature of a benevolent fairy.

The fan slipped from young Wainwright's nerveless grip and fell with a clatter to the polished floor, its ivory sticks snapping like icicles.

GREAT CRUISE FOR A SCULPTOR

From Seattle to Norway in a Viking Ship.

ALL NORSEMEN IN HIS CREW

Trip Finn Haakon Frolich, an American Citizen, Will Take Is Due to Call of Sea He Heard as a Boy—Expects to Reach Christiania in Four Years. Will Defray Expenses Himself.

Nearly nine centuries ago, according to the Norse sagas, Lief Ericson, son of Eric the Red, conquered the north Atlantic and landed with the few men of his crew on the shores of New England, naming it Vinland. Their long voyage from Norway, with a probable stop in Iceland, was made in one of the Viking ships of the period, little more than an open boat of these days, and now to complete the conquest of the waters of the earth in such a frail vessel Finn Haakon Frolich, a Norwegian sculptor of note, will start away from Seattle in May for Norway.

The Viking ship, an exact counterpart of those with which the early Norwegian chiefs gave battle against their foes or used as merchantmen if peaceful pursuit was the best, lies in the harbor of Seattle and was the gift of the Norwegian people of the United States to the recent exposition there in connection with the Scandinavian exhibit. It was largely through the efforts of Mr. Frolich that this was brought about, and now that the vessel has served its purpose well he has made a bargain with the builders of the ship, so now it is his own.

For many years a resident of New York city, Mr. Frolich was selected to design a statue of Edward Grieg, the Norwegian composer and music master, who died in 1907, which was presented to the city by prominent Norwegians and will be unveiled in Prospect park, Brooklyn, in June. Mr. Frolich's only recompense will be the Viking ship, which he says will be quite enough and which after the world cruise is ended he intends to give to his native country.

All For a Vacation.

All this would seem strange if the reader were not told that it is the call of the sea that as a boy the sculptor once listened to and which is calling him back again to what he says to his friends is a "vacation."

Mr. Frolich will have with him another hardy Norse navigator who has already proved himself inured to the perils of high seas and heavy gales in a much smaller craft. His skipper will be Captain Ole Brude, who in 1905 started from Alesund, Norway, and sailed to Boston in an eighteen foot sailboat. Then there will be five or six Norsemen in the crew.

How he became a sculptor begins with the sea. At fourteen years of age he ran away from his home in Christiania, Norway, and shipped on board a sailing vessel bound to ports in northern Europe. Within three years he was rated an "A. B.," and his ship arrived in New York, where he decided to stay. He early developed an aptitude for woodcarving dur-

CHAPTER XI.

A sound of the breaking fan all three participants in the strange reunion turned. For a second or more they faced the crimson faced, dumfounded Perry without a word. Here was an element in the affair on which neither Phelan nor Cynthia had counted when giving Thompson their promise not to reveal his identity. They gradually realized this, and it left even the ready witted Phelan speechless.

Perry himself was first to break the spell.

"Well," he observed, with an assumption of airy scorn that was meant to be annihilating, "you all seem quite happy. Don't mind me! I'm sorry to butt in on this little love fest, but I left a fiancée here. Perhaps one of you can explain what's happened to her since I—"

"Oh, Perry," exclaimed Cynthia, "don't be silly! I'll tell you all about it some time. It is—"

"Some time!" squealed Perry, rage battling down his attempt at sarcasm. "Some time! Maybe it might be just as well if you did condescend to explain. Here you promise to marry me, and ten minutes later I find you in a catch-as-catch-can hug with this ugly little shrimp and Phelan looking on as happy as if he'd eaten a canary! And then you've got the gall to tell me you'll explain 'some time'!"

He glared at Cynthia in all the majesty of outraged devotion, only to surprise on that young lady's face a look that indicated a violent struggle with the desire to laugh.

"This is funny all right, I guess not," he snapped. "Cynthia, you've mauled and smashed a loving heart, and I'll make a hit with myself by forgiving you, but as for you," wheeling about and thrusting his furious face to within three inches of Thompson's immobile countenance—"as for you, I'm going to do all sorts of things to you the moment Miss Garrison will have the kindness to shoo you out of the room. Your sorrowful relatives will have all manner of fun sorting you out when I've finished with you! Steal my

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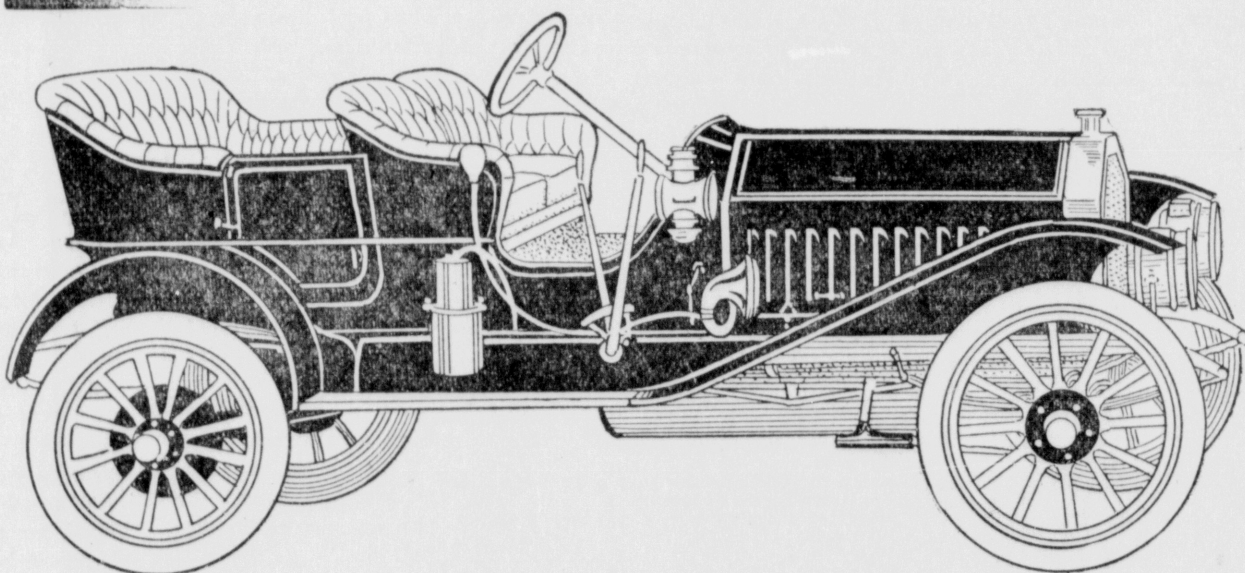
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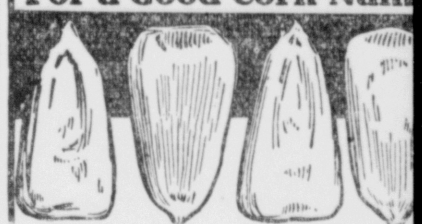
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